

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Toshihiro SASAYA et al.

Application No.: Rule 53(b) Continuation Application
of Application No. 10/032,462, filed January 2, 2002

Filed:

Docket No.: 104681.03

For: PROJECTION EXPOSURE APPARATUS AND METHOD WITH ADJUSTMENT OF
ROTATIONALLY ASYMMETRIC OPTICAL CHARACTERISTICS (AS
AMENDED)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Please consider the following:

Amendments to the Specification;

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims;

Remarks.